

PUBLIC LEADER

THIRD YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1894.

ONE CENT.



Mr. C. W. Lurvey has returned from Chicago.

William Carnahan spent Thanksgiving in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray spent Thanksgiving in Cincinnati.

Miss Nora Bloom spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Ripley.

Dr. Claude Pollitt of Cincinnati spent Thanksgiving in this city.

Miss Edna Riggs of Chattanooga is the guest of Miss Fannie France.

Miss Lou Ellis of Manchester spent Thanksgiving with friends here.

Misses Maggie and Lydia Childs are visiting the Misses Fling at Ripley.

Mrs. Margaret Errett of Kansas City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Calk.

Miss Pauline Helm Harding of Covington is a guest of Miss Eleanor P. Wallace.

Mr. John Schueller of Manchester spent Thanksgiving with his parents in this city.

John Heiser of Cincinnati was in the city yesterday, the guest of relatives and friends.

Miss Stella Plummer of Vanceburg is visiting Miss Lucy Nicholson of Limestone street.

Mr. William Clinger of Portsmouth is in the city spending the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents.

Mr. Buckner Wall, a student at Center College, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents.

Mrs. Mary Meadows of Cincinnati spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Lucy Hoffman of the Sixth Ward.

Miss Adah Lee Souley is down from Millersburg Female College to remain with relatives during the week.

Miss Sallie Wood is at home after spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. N. J. Lyons of Cincinnati.

Mr. John D. Bridges of Portsmouth spent Thanksgiving with his mother, Mrs. Amanda Bridges of West Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam O. Porter and son will of West Third street went to Cincinnati where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Misses Alice, Rosa and Katherine Shelby, three charming daughters of Major Thomas H. Shelby of Lexington are guests of Miss Rosa Pickett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brenner and daughter spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Henry Dietrich and family at Dietrich's Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Rudy entertained for dinner at their lovely home below the city the following guests yesterday: Miss Lydia Rudy of Bellevue, Mr. George Burns of Nashville, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Rubenstein of Georgetown, O., Miss Ida and Lizzie May of Delaware, O., Miss Bessie Rudy and Mr. Harry Walsh and Miss Margaret Rudy of this city.



HOW THE CYCLOE STARTED.

The four barrel is empty.

And the lard is getting low.

And the folks with whom I've dealt.

Want cash for what I owe.

And many times I've blamed myself.

For voting for a "change."

But I've learned through my stomach.

What I couldn't through my brains.

There's no money in my pocket.

And there's no coal in the bin.

The weather's growing colder.

And my breeches mighty thin.

I'm longing for the "good old times."

And my conscience gives me pains.

But I've learned through my stomach.

What I couldn't through my brains.

The factory hasn't started up.

And time's passing mighty slow.

And daily I am adding more.

To the little bills I owe.

Each day I figure losses.

Where I used to count up gains.

And I'm learning through my stomach.

What I couldn't through my brains.

There's a day of judgment coming.

For those who fooled me so.

There's a day of retribution.

For those who made time slow.

I am going to use change time back.

When I can count up gains.

For I've learned through my stomach.

What I couldn't through my brains.

Soupbones have been opened.

But the diet's awful thin.

Free-traders made their promises.

And denounced McKinley in.

But the people have grown wiser.

Losses don't set up with gains.

They've found out their stomachs.

What they couldn't through their brains.

They pity the "poor farmer."

Taffy will the working man.

And praise the Free-trade Union Bill.

To the people of the land.

And how they love the pensioner.

It gives the veterans pains.

But they learned through their stomachs.

What they couldn't through their brains.

They promised us much better times.

And money free as mud.

But wages have stopped near wages drop'd.

Way down with a dull thud.

But soon we'll smite those Democrats.

An give the lard pains.

For we've learned through our stomachs.

What I couldn't through our brains.

Matter for publication in the Ledger MUST be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning.

The survivors of the Sixteenth Kentucky are holding their annual reunion at Augusta today.

An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Comer, residing near this city on the Flemingsburg pike, died yesterday of whooping-cough.

A handsome souvenir Cup and Saucer given with each purchase of shoes amounting to not less than \$1.35.

All Nicotine is extracted from Lager Tobacco, hence it is the healthiest. C. A. Raine & Co. of Danville, Va., make Lager.

Barkley's footprints was a genuine originality in the advertising line.

Captain George Collier has removed from Paola, Kansas, to Kansas City, Mo.

Ed. Gilligan, the gentleman who caught for awhile here last season with the Maysville Baseball Club, is the Manager for Little Olga Fauntleroy, who held the boards at the Open-house yesterday.

Green Moore, who resides in Grave alley, fell off an Eastbound C. and O. train yesterday near Springdale, alighting in a pile of rocks, bruising his face in a manner not calculated to make one feel very good and spraining his ankle.

THANKSGIVING DINNER.

It Was a Grand Success and Greatly Enjoyed By All.

Another Thanksgiving Day has gone into history.

But unlike other Thanksgiving Days in Maysville, this one goes on the pages of history to be referred to by many as the grandest spent in this city in many a year.

About two months ago the idea of giving a dinner to the poor of our city was agitated in the various churches by the Young People's Societies, it being suggested by Mr. J. M. Scott.

Finally a committee was appointed from each church, and all met in Y. M. C. A. Hall and organized to make the necessary arrangements for the event.

Many citizens gave liberally, and those who predicted its failure now are free to admit that nothing is impossible when undertaken in the right spirit.

The Neptune Fire Company very generously donated the use of the Neptune Hall, White, Judd & Co. the use of the tables and the Y. M. C. A. the use of the chairs.

Yesterday morning there was a union service at the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. T. W. Watts preaching the sermon, after which those who had been furnished with tickets went from the church to the hall, where everything was in readiness for all those who could be accommodated at the first table, the remainder going to the Central Presbyterian Church, out of the weather, to await their turn, and there were between 300 and 400 fed at the hall.

Those who were unable to attend were furnished their dinner at their home, and there were about 200 dinners distributed in this way.

There was a delegation of handsome young ladies from the churches that were interested in the dinner who waited on the tables and helped fill the plates, and these young ladies deserve much praise for the way in which they handled the crowd.

Colonel John P. Wallace and Major William Garrison did the carving, and it was well done.

After all had been served there was an abundance left, and, according to Scripture, "they gathered up the fragments that none should be wasted," which were sold, netting a neat little sum, which goes to buying coal and other necessities that will be needed this winter.

And who will say that this isn't history repeating itself? Didn't Christ feed the multitude in days gone by? And if between 500 and 600 aren't a multitude, what would you call them?

Too much praise cannot be given those who got the dinner up and made it the success it was.

BOOMING!

SOME SEQUELS TO THE LATE REPUBLICAN VICTORY.

Returning Property-Factories Starting Up-Work for American Workmen.



(Before the election THE LEADER argued that Republican success meant a restoration of confidence, the opening of American factories and workshops, the return of business to its wonted channels, profitable and steady employment for American workmen, and the resumption of property all along the line. That the hopes held out by THE LEADER were not false ones is being fully demonstrated. Below are a few evidences of the business revival that tread on the heels of the great Republican victory.—EDITOR.)

The Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railway Company at Bessemer, Ala., will soon put its furnaces in blast.

A four-mill tinplate plant is to be erected at Newark, O., within the coming few months by Pittsburgh capitalists. Employment will be given to 300 men.

C. S. Dutton & P. M. Hass will soon have in operation at Youngstown, O., a factory for the manufacture of cold polished shafting. Employment will be given to near a hundred men.

The ironworks at Brilliant, O., which have been idle for some time past, have been sold to J. R. Jackson of McKeesport, Pa., and will be started up, giving employment to a large force of men.

The Crane & Breed Manufacturing Company of Cincinnati now has 350 of its 400 employees at work with prospects of adding the remaining fifty, and perhaps more, within a very short time.

The Reap department is particularly rushed with orders.

The Autlam-Miller Company at Akron, O., has started its foundry with a force of men, and it is expected that a start will soon be made in all the other departments. The Empire Mower and Reaper Company also expects to have its plant in full operation within a short time.

Work in the different factories in Elwood, Ind., is moving along as usual, there being but very little change either in amount of work done or number of employees at work. Orders are coming in better, and the outlook is brighter for the future, but as the plants are nearly all running at full capacity there is little room for improvement in this direction.

Fairmount, Ind.—The Dillon Glass Factory, which has been practically idle

for nearly two years, and which has been in the hands of a receiver for several months, will probably be sold soon to Marion parties. The Marion Bottle Works are negotiating for the purchase of the plant, and it is quite probable that the sale will be effected within the next few days. In the event of the contemplated change, the factory will be put in operation without delay, which will give employment to between 75 and 100 people. The King City Glass Works started last Tuesday with a full force of 60 men and boys. The company recently completed extensive improvements and repairs, and is now prepared to manufacture all kinds of glass electric supplies. Several large orders are now on hand, and the company will be compelled to operate its plant day and night for some time to come.

Bracken county will not have a new Courthouse this year—some other year.

Mr. E. W. Heflin and Miss Nettie Branch will marry at Tilton next Wednesday.

Joseph W. Miller, aged 31, and Miss Linnie Long, aged 15, married in Fleming.

The District Conference of the Y. M. C. A. convenes in this city tomorrow afternoon.

The capital stock of the Cincinnati Gas Company has just been increased \$400,000, making the total \$5,500,000.

A count of the survivors shows that 173 members of the Fifty-third Congress have been elected to the Fifty-fourth.

Ira O. Jones, aged 22, and Miss Lulu P. Calvert, aged 16, Fleming county folk, enjoyed their Thanksgiving by getting married.

James Tolle, who was run over by a dory on Second street yesterday morning and seriously injured, is able to be out this morning. His many friends will be pleased to learn that he was not dangerously hurt.

Great reduction in Millinery. Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats at astonishingly low prices. These goods will be sold very cheap for cash. Call early and secure bargains at 41 West Third street.

Mr. W. L. DAVIDSON.

Charles Hason and Andy Craig went gunning after rabbits Tuesday in the neighborhood of Tuckahoe. Charlie went down the middle of the hill in the thick underbrush to scare out the game, and Andy followed, Charlie not knowing it, however. Andy was walking around a clump of bushes, and Charlie, thinking it was a rabbit making so much noise, fired his gun into Andy, one shot hitting him on the neck and several others striking his hand. Andy will get over it.

Joseph Ryan, a former Maysvillian and at one time Foreman of the Cox & Poynter Plow Factory of this city, died at his home near Valley Postoffice, Lewis county, Wednesday night, aged 70 years. He was stricken with paralysis about a month ago. Death came while he was sitting in a chair. He leaves a wife and four children—John F. Ryan of this city being a son. His remains will be brought here this morning, after the funeral will occur tomorrow at 10 a. m. from Mr. Ryan's residence in the Fifth Ward, after which they will be interred in the Maysville Cemetery.

Exactly Correct.

Cheap advertising space is like a cheap suit of clothes, in that it is frequently the dearest.

Advertising space in THE LEADER is not "cheap" in the ordinary sense; but it is reasonable, and all who use it are guaranteed handsome returns on their investment. Remember, we accept advertisements with the guarantee that if THE LEADER hasn't the largest circulation we will give you the advertising free of charge. Can you ask anything fairer than this?

ORIGIN OF THANKSGIVING.

The date of the first observance of this distinctively American institution has been a matter of some dispute. A writer in an exchange has been known to some trouble to ascertain the facts and states them as follows:

The first observance of a day of thanksgiving, formally recommended by the civil authorities, occurred in Leyden, Holland, October 3, 1623, being the first anniversary of the deliverance of that city from siege.

In July, 1623, a day of fasting and prayer was appointed on account of drought. Rain came abundantly while they were praying, and the governor appointed a day of thanksgiving which was observed with religious exercises. The Charleston records show a similar change of fast day into Thanksgiving in 1631, on account of the arrival of supplies from Ireland.

Dr. Franklin tells us that in a time of great despondency among the settlers of New England it was proposed by one of their public meetings to proclaim a fast. An aged farmer rose and spoke of their provoking heaven with their complaints, and of the cause they had for thanksgiving. He then made a motion that instead of appointing a day of fasting, they should appoint a day of thanksgiving. The assembly readily agreed.

Massachusetts Bay was the first of the colonies to appoint an annual thanksgiving by the proclamation of the English government. A day of national Thanksgiving day was national institution, being annually recommended by congress, but after the general Thanksgiving for peace in 1794 there was no national appointment until 1796, when Washington, by request of congress, recommended a day of Thanksgiving for the adoption of the constitution. Washington issued a second proclamation of Thanksgiving in 1795 on account of the suppression of insurrection. President Madison, by the request of congress, recommended a Thanksgiving for peace in 1815. But the official recognition of a day for the giving of thanks was mainly confined to New England until the year 1863, after which date it was regularly appointed by the governor of New York. In 1855 Gov. Johnson, of Virginia, recommended a day of thanksgiving, but in 1877 Gov. Wise, when requested to do so, publicly declined, on the ground that he was not authorized to interfere in religious matters. During the civil war, in 1863 and 1864, President Lincoln issued proclamations recommending annual Thanksgivings. Since then a proclamation has been issued annually by the president as well as by the governors of the states and the mayors of the principal cities. Custom fixes the time as the last Thursday in November.

It is well for all to pause a little in the mad whirl of business or work or pleasure, and think of the blessings which have crowned the year, and lift up our hearts in special thanksgiving.

TWO TURKEYS.

I. Said a jolly turkey gobbler to another:

"Our dinners are most plentiful and good, and I am glad to see the heart, my dearest brother."

To see you don't enjoy them as you should, and I am glad to see the heart, my dearest brother."

Oh, tell me the reason why?"

II. It is well for all to pause a little in the mad whirl of business or work or pleasure, and think of the blessings which have crowned the year, and lift up our hearts in special thanksgiving.

III. And on Thanksgiving morning, the farmer's

Had both the turkeys butchered, so I heard; The skinner one went to the farmer's brother. With "Best Compliments" he made up for the bird.

The fat one, fished with sauce and tart, Warned the cockles of the farmer's heart.

—N. Y. World.

A TRUE PROPHECY.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

"Turkey—Well, I declare! This thing will be the death of me!—Puck."

Thanksgiving Wisdom.

While toasting a fine turkey we may well make you glad.

At a time when the fates seem to buffet; You find food and cheer one if you had is the one you win at the buffet.

—Judge.

The Only One.

Hojack—Are you going to the Thanksgiving-day ball?

Tomilk—What ball?

Hojack—Football.—Judge.

F. B. RANSON & CO.

OUR GREAT UNDERVALUE SALE HAS BEEN A WONDERFUL SUCCESS!

This, however, was not a cut-price sale. We were enabled to give our patrons these extremely low prices from the fact that we bought our stock of Boots and Shoes at the time when the depression in money matters was at its height and the leading manufacturers were kept hustling to get orders enough to keep their factories going.

We Bought in Immense Quantities and at Lower Prices

than Boots and Shoes were ever known to have been sold.

Since our opening

We Have Sold More Boots and Shoes

than were ever sold in Maysville in the same length of time, and yet we have on hand a great quantity of the most desirable footwear

Which We Mean to Sell Before the New Year

at which time we will go East to purchase our spring stock.

Men's Fine B-Calf Bala and Congress, plain and cap toes, worth.....	\$1.25
Cut price.....	.85
Men's Sain Calf Bala and Congress, plain and cap toes, worth.....	1.75
Cut price.....	1.48
Men's Fine Calf Bala and Congress, any style, worth.....	2.50
Cut price.....	1.88
Men's Fine Calf Bala and Congress, any style toe, worth.....	2.75
Cut price.....	2.18
Men's Fine Calf Goodyear Welt, any style, worth.....	3.00
Cut price.....	2.25
Men's French Calf Bala and Congress, all styles, worth.....	4.00
Cut price.....	3.00
Men's Patent Leather Bala and Button, plain and pick toe, worth.....	6.00
Cut price.....	4.00
Men's S. K. Boots, worth.....	1.50
Cut price.....	1.10
Men's S. K. Boots, worth.....	1.75
Cut price.....	1.48
Men's Fine Calf Boots, worth.....	2.50
Cut price.....	1.98
Men's Veal Kid Boots, worth.....	2.75
Cut price.....	2.00
Men's World's Fair Premium Boot, worth.....	4.00
Cut price.....	3.00
Men's S. K. Boots, worth.....	1.50
Cut price.....	.90
Youth's Boots.....	.75
Child's Boots.....	.65
School Shoes, 1 and 9-11.....	.40
Women's Dongola Button Tip and Plain Toes, worth.....	1.25
Cut price.....	.85
Women's Dongola Button Square Toes, worth.....	1.65
Cut price.....	1.24
Women's Dongola Button Patent Tip Square and Opera Toes, worth.....	2.25
Cut price.....	1.78
Women's Dongola Goodyear Welt Boots, Square or Opera Toes, worth.....	2.75
Cut price.....	2.18
Women's Dongola Goodyear Welt Boots, all styles, worth.....	3.25
Cut price.....	2.68
Women's Hand-sewed Button, Piccadilla Toes, worth.....	4.50
Cut price.....	3.00

We guarantee these prices lower than anybody's and stand ready to refund the money for any purchase made of us that does not prove satisfactory.

FRANK B. RANSON & CO.

To accomplish this we inaugurate our

First CLEARANCE SALE

and this means lower prices than were ever named on BOOTS and SHOES. This sale is in progress and will continue until all winter goods are sold. Read below and profit thereby.

